

### **Directors' Report**

The Directors have pleasure in presenting their report together with the condensed consolidated interim financial statements of SHARJAH ISLAMIC BANK PJSC ("the Bank") and its subsidiaries (together referred as the "Group") for the three month period ended 31 March 2025.

### Financial highlights

As of 31 March 2025, the total assets of the Group amounted to AED 82.8 billion, showing an increase of 4.5% compared to AED 79.2 billion as at 31 December 2024. The investment securities measured at amortised cost stands at AED 13.2 billion as of 31 March 2025. Investments in Islamic financing showed a 7.0% growth or an increase of AED 2.6 billion, taking the total outstanding amount to AED 40.3 billion as of 31 March 2025, in comparison to AED 37.7 billion as of 31 December 2024. Customer deposits stands at AED 52.1 billion as of 31 March 2025, demonstrating overall strengthening of the Group's liquidity position, which stands at 21.8% as at 31 March 2025. Shareholders' equity amounts to AED 8.2 billion as of 31 March 2025.

The net operating income before impairment on financial assets - net of recoveries, for the Group increased by AED 6.7 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 as compared to the three month period ended 31 March 2024. The Bank has recognised a reversal of impairment charges on financial assets - net of recoveries, for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 amounting to AED 17.2 million, compared to an impairment charge of AED 45.0 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2024. As a result, profit before tax increased by AED 69.0 million to reach AED 350.6 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 as compared to AED 281.7 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2024. Taxation expense for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 was AED 31.7 million. As a result, a net profit of AED 318.9 million was recorded for the three month period ended 31 March 2025, as compared to AED 255.9 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2024, reflecting a 24.6% increase.

Abdul Rahman Mohammed Naseer Al Owais

Chairman 16 April 2025





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# Independent Auditors' Report on Review of Interim Financial Information

# To the Board of Directors of the Sharjah Islamic Bank PJSC

### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying 31 March 2025 condensed consolidated interim financial information of Sharjah Islamic Bank PJSC ("the Bank") and its subsidiaries ("the Group"), which consisting of:

- the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position as at 31 March 2025:
- the condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss for the three-month period ended 31 March 2025:
- the condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income for the three-month period ended 31 March 2025:
- the condensed consolidated interim statement of changes in equity for the three-month period ended 31 March 2025:
- the condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows for the three-month period ended 31 March 2025: and
- notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information.

Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this condensed consolidated interim financial information in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting'. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this condensed consolidated interim financial information based on our review.

### **Scope of Review**

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of condensed consolidated interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

### Sharjah Islamic Bank PJSC Independent Auditors' Review Report



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# Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying 31 March 2025 condensed consolidated interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting.

**KPMG Lower Gulf Limited** 

Fawzi AbuRass Registration No.: 968

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Date: 17 APR 2025

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

		As at	As at
		31 March	31 December
		2025	2024
	Notes	Un-audited	Audited
Assets			
Cash and balances with banks and financial institutions	6	5,753,439	3,002,556
Murabaha and wakalah with financial institutions	7	12,301,525	14,106,277
Investment securities measured at fair value	8	4,501,722	4,597,741
Investment securities measured at amortised cost	9	13,226,096	13,172,684
Investments in Islamic financing	10	40,308,914	37,687,026
Acceptances		286,099	239,498
Properties held-for-sale		849,270	793,438
Investment properties	25	2,977,203	2,964,711
Other assets	11	1,591,569	1,687,315
Property and equipment	12.1	909,177	896,069
Intangible assets	12.2	65,465	63,001
Total assets		82,770,479	79,210,316
Liabilities and shareholders' equity			
Liabilities			
Customer deposits	13	52,098,744	51,758,444
Due to banks		14,453,748	12,850,330
Acceptances		286,333	240,370
Sukuk payable	14	5,489,425	3,659,949
Other liabilities	15	2,197,589	2,312,299
Zakat payable		82,624	85,625
Total liabilities		74,608,463	70,907,017
Shareholders' equity			2 225 (52
Share capital	16	3,235,678	3,235,678
Tier 1 sukuk		1,836,500	1,836,500
Fair value reserve		(93,761)	(109,003)
Other reserves and treasury shares	19	1,519,091	1,468,006
Retained earnings		1,664,508	1,872,118
Total shareholders' equity		8,162,016	8,303,299
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity		82,770,479	79,210,316

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 16 April 2025

Abdul Rahman Mohammed Nasser Al Owais

Chairman

Mohamed Ahmed Abdalla Chief Executive Officer

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

For the three month period

		ended 31 Marc		
		2025	2024	
	Notes	<b>Un-audited</b>	<b>Un-audited</b>	
Income from investments in Islamic financing and sukuks		914,261	862,485	
Distribution to depositors and sukuk holders		(546,897)	(489,980)	
Net income from financing and investment products		367,364	372,505	
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Fee and commission income	21	136,024	102,448	
Fee and commission expense	21	(28,416)	(24,622)	
Net fee and commission income		107,608	77,826	
Investment income		1,587	7,961	
Foreign exchange income		25,689	17,355	
Other income	22	29,478	29,100	
Total operating income		531,726	504,747	
General and administrative expenses*		(198,310)	(178,095)	
Net operating income before impairment*		333,416	326,652	
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Reversal of impairment / (Impairment) on financial assets - net of recoveries		17,207	(44,996)	
Profit before tax*		350,623	281,656	
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Taxation	29	(31,693)	(25,750)	
Profit for the period*		318,930	255,906	
(Attributable to the shareholders of the Bank)				
Basic and diluted earnings per share - restated (UAE Dirhams)	31	0.09	0.07	

<sup>\*</sup> Refer note 32 for details of change in comparative numbers

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

		For the three month period ended 31 March	
	Note	2025 Un-audited	2024 Un-audited
Profit for the period* (Attributable to the shareholders of the Bank)		318,930	255,906
Other comprehensive income  Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss - Change in fair value reserve on sukuk investments classified			
at FVTOCI		18,420	57,686
- Effective portion of changes in fair value of Islamic derivatives classified as cash flow hedges		51,641	-
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss			
<ul> <li>Change in fair value reserve on equity investment classified at FVTOCI</li> </ul>		(1,666)	(3,896)
Related tax on other comprehensive income	29	(6,160)	(4,843)
Total comprehensive income for the period - net off tax* (Attributable to the shareholders of the Bank)	:	381,165	304,853

<sup>\*</sup> Refer note 32 for details of change in comparative numbers

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

	ended 31 March	
	2025	2024
	Un-audited	Un-audited
Cash flows from operating activities	<u>On-audited</u>	On-audited
Profit for the period	318,930	281,656
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Adjustments for:	16.466	12.504
- Amortisation and depreciation	16,466	13,584
- Amortisation of sukuk issuance costs	947	270
- (Reversal) / provision on investments in Islamic financing	(10,488)	46,182
- (Reversal) / provision on investment securities measured at fair value	(2,037)	1,642
- Provision on investment securities measured at amortised cost	650	559
- Reversal of provision on other financial assets	(5,332)	(3,387)
- Gain on disposal of properties held for sale	(1,013)	-
- Gain on disposal of investment securities measured at fair value	(2,554)	(6,128)
- Revaluation on investment securities measured at fair value through		
profit and loss	8,509	5,902
- Foreign exchange (gain) / loss on properties	(3,978)	1,509
- Taxation	31,693	25,750
- Gain on disposal of property and equipment	(13)	(3)
Operating cash flows before changes in operating assets and		`
liabilities	351,780	367,536
Changes in:		
- Restricted cash balances	90,074	(10,756)
- Murabaha and wakalah with financial institutions	(4,159,770)	(366,431)
- Investments in Islamic financing	(2,611,400)	(380,212)
- Other assets and acceptances	64,715	32,805
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- Properties held for sale	(54,819)	(56,403)
- Customer deposits	340,300	(127,765)
- Due to banks	1,547,838	4,126,101
- Other liabilities and acceptances	(65,193)	187,608
Net cash (used in) / generated from operating activities	(4,496,475)	3,772,483
Cash flows from investing activities		
Acquisition of property and equipment and intangible assets	(32,102)	(10,929)
Disposal of property and equipment and intangible assets	77	42
Acquisition of investment properties	(8,514)	(186,734)
Acquisition of investment securities measured at fair value	(318,121)	(30,405)
Disposal / redemption of investment securities measured at fair value	426,971	202,870
Acquisition of investment securities measured at amortised cost	(209,026)	(2,457,349)
Redemption on investment securities measured at amortised cost	154,964	251,400
Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities	14,249	(2,231,105)

For the three month period

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (continued)

FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

	1 of the three month period		
	ended 31 March		
	2025	2024	
	<b>Un-audited</b>	<b>Un-audited</b>	
Cash flows from financing activities			
Issuance of sukuk	1,828,529	-	
Treasury shares	(17,811)	-	
Profit paid on tier 1 sukuk	(45,912)	(45,912)	
Zakat paid	(3,000)	(12,070)	
Cash dividend	(458,725)	(323,567)	
Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities	1,303,081	(381,549)	
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents	(3,179,145)	1,159,829	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	12,486,345	7,609,047	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	9,307,200	8,768,876	
	As at	As at	
	31 March	31 March	
	2025	2024	
	<b>Un-audited</b>	<b>Un-audited</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents			
Cash and balances with banks and financial institutions	5,660,511	3,956,995	
Murabaha and wakalah with financial institutions	3,719,786	4,908,681	
Due to banks	(73,097)	(96,800)	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	9,307,200	8,768,876	
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For the three month period

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE BANK

Tier 1 Fair value Other reserves Retained

	Share capital	Tier 1 sukuk	Fair value reserve	Other reserves and treasury shares	Retained earnings	Total shareholders' equity
As at 1 January 2024 (Audited)*	3,235,678	1,836,500	(183,849)	1,871,463	1,356,876	8,116,668
Total comprehensive income for the period Profit for the period* Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	255,906	255,906
Net change in fair value reserve	_	_	48,947	_	-	48,947
Total comprehensive income for the period*	-	-	48,947	-	255,906	304,853
Transactions recorded directly in equity						
Cash dividend (note 27)	-	-	-	-	(323,567)	(323,567)
Transfer to impairment reserve - general	-	-	-	42,173	(42,173)	-
Profit paid on tier 1 sukuk	-	-	-	-	(45,912)	(45,912)
Total	-	-	•	42,173	(411,652)	(369,479)
As at 31 March 2024 (Un-audited)*	3,235,678	1,836,500	(134,902)	1,913,636	1,201,130	8,052,042

<sup>\*</sup> Refer note 32 for details of change in comparative numbers

 $CONDENSED\ CONSOLIDATED\ INTERIM\ STATEMENT\ OF\ CHANGES\ IN\ EQUITY\ (continued)$ 

FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

	ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE BANK					
	Share	Tier 1	Fair value	Other reserves	Retained	Total
	capital	sukuk	reserve	and treasury	earnings	shareholders'
	-			shares	J	equity
As at 1 January 2025 (Audited)	3,235,678	1,836,500	(109,003)	1,468,006	1,872,118	8,303,299
Total comprehensive income for the period						
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	318,930	318,930
Other comprehensive income					•	•
Net change in fair value reserve - net off tax	-	-	15,242	46,993	-	62,235
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	15,242	46,993	318,930	381,165
Transactions recorded directly in equity						
Cash dividend (note 27)	-	-	-	-	(458,725)	(458,725)
Shares held by liquidity provider (note 18(b))	-	-	-	(17,811)	-	(17,811)
Transfer to general impairment reserve	-	-	-	21,903	(21,903)	-
Profit paid on tier 1 sukuk	-	-	-	-	(45,912)	(45,912)
Total	-	-	-	4,092	(526,540)	(522,448)
As at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)	3,235,678	1,836,500	(93,761)	1,519,091	1,664,508	8,162,016

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

### 1. Legal status and activities

SHARJAH ISLAMIC BANK PJSC (the "Bank") was incorporated in 1975 as a public joint stock company by Emiri Decree issued by His Highness the Ruler of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates ("UAE") and is listed on the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange. The Bank is engaged in banking, financing and investing activities in accordance with its articles of incorporation, Islamic Shari'a principles and regulations of Central Bank of the UAE ("CBUAE"), which are carried out through its 34 branches (As at 31 December 2024: 33 branches) established in the UAE.

At an extraordinary shareholder's meeting held on 18 March 2001, a resolution was passed to transform the Bank's activities to be in full compliance with Islamic Shari'a rules and principles. The entire process was completed on 31 March 2002 ("the transformation date"). As a result the Bank transformed its conventional banking products into Islamic banking products during the six month period ended 30 June 2002 after negotiation and agreement with its customers.

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Group comprise the Bank and its fully owned subsidiaries incorporated in the UAE, Sharjah National Hotels ("SNH"), Sharjah Islamic Financial Services LLC SP ("SIFS") and ASAS Real Estate LLC SP ("ASAS") as well as special purpose vehicles established in the Cayman Islands, SIB Sukuk Company III Limited and SIB Tier 1 Sukuk Company Limited, (all together referred to as the "Group"). SNH through its divisions is engaged in operating hotels and resorts, catering and related services, whereas SIFS is involved in conducting intermediation in dealing in local market Shari'a compliant shares. ASAS is involved in the business of real estate. SIB Sukuk Company III Limited and SIB Tier 1 Sukuk Company Limited were established for the Bank's Sukuk program.

The registered office of the Bank is Post Box No.4, Sharjah, UAE.

### 2. Basis of preparation

### a) Statement of compliance

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting. Selected explanatory notes, are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in financial position and performance of the Group since the last annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for a full set of annual consolidated financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the annual consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024, including the UAE Federal Law No. 32 of 2021 on Commercial Companies and the Decretal Federal Law No. 14 of 2018.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

# 2. Basis of preparation (continued)

### b) Basis of measurement

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for, provision for employees' end of service benefits which is measured using the projected credit unit method under IAS 19, and the following material items in the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position which are measured at fair value:

- i) financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL);
- ii) financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI);
- iii) investment properties at fair value; and
- iv) Islamic financial derivatives

# 3. Material accounting policies

The accounting policies applied by the Group in preparation of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements are consistent with those applied by the Group in its annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

### a) New and revised IFRS adopted in the condensed consolidated interim financial statements

The following new and revised IFRS, which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025, have been adopted in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements. The application of these revised IFRSs, except where stated, have not had any material impact on the amounts or disclosures reported for the current and prior periods.

### New standards and significant amendments to standards applicable to the Group

Effective date

# Amendments to IAS 21 - Lack of Exchangeability

1 January 2025

The amendments contain no specific requirements for estimating a spot rate. Therefore, when estimating a spot rate a company can use an observable exchange rate without adjustment or another estimation technique. Under the amendments, companies will need to provide new disclosures to help users assess the impact of using an estimated exchange rate on the financial statements. These disclosures might include the nature and financial impacts of the currency not being exchangeable, the spot exchange rate used, the estimation process and risks to the company because the currency is not exchangeable.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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- 3. Material accounting policies (continued)
- b) New and revised IFRS in issue but not yet effective and not early adopted

New standards and significant amendments to standards applicable to the Group

Effective date

### Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 - Classifiation of financial assets

1 January 2026

Under the amendments, certain financial assets including those with ESG-linked features could now meet the SPPI criterion, provided that their cash flows are not significantly different from an identical financial asset without such a feature. The amendments also include additional disclosures for all financial assets and financial liabilities that have certain contingent features that are not related directly to a change in basic lending risks or costs and are not measured at fair value through profit or loss.

### IFRS 18 - Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements

1 January 2027

IFRS 18 will replace IAS 1 - 'Presentation of Financial Statements' and applies for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027. The new standard introduces the following new key requiremnts:

- Entities are required to classify all income and expenses into five categories in the statement of profit our loss, namely the operating, investing, financing, discontinued operations and income tax categories. Entities are also required to present a newly defined operating profit subtotal. Entities' net profit will not change.
- Management defined performance measures (MPMs) are disclosed in a single note in the financial statements/
- Enhanced guidance is provided on how to group infomation in the financial statements.

In addition, all entities are required to use the operating profit substotal as the starting point for the statement of cash flows when presenting operating cash flows under the indirect method.

The Group is currently assessing the impact of the above amendments on the future financial statements and intends to adopt these, if applicable, when they become effective.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

### 4. Key accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of condensed consolidated interim financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing these condensed consolidated interim financial statements, significant judgement is exercised by management in applying the Group's accounting policies. The key sources of estimation uncertainty are consistent with the annual audited consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

# i) Use of estimates and judgements

The IFRS 9 Committee has reviewed the inputs and assumptions for IFRS 9 ECL measurement in light of available information. The Bank has computed ECL using 30% weightage to the upward scenario as of 31 March 2025. Had adverse scenario been stressed from 30% by another 10% with corresponding impact on upward scenario, impairment loss allowance would increase by AED 22.3 million.

Following both regulatory mandates and industry standards, TTC PDs are adjusted based on internal rating grades that reflect historical default rates.

The Group has integrated LGD models for its various portfolios, such as secured and unsecured corporate and retail portfolios. These models are based on the actual recovery rates as observed over the period of more than ten years.

Judgement is also required in estimating EAD, particularly for Islamic financing commitments, including letters of credit and financial guarantee, and revolving credit facilities such as credit cards, where deterioration in the macro economic environment is generally accompanied by an increase in the volumes and duration of the drawdowns. Credit conversion factor used by the Bank for unutilized limits has been computed at 20% in case of retail exposures as well as corporate exposures with remaining maturity of less than one year or 50% in case of corporate exposures with remaining maturity of more than one year.

The Bank considers a range of possible outcomes and their respective probabilities, and to apply judgement in determining what constitutes reasonable and forward looking information. The most significant period-end assumptions used for ECL estimate includes next 5-year average oil price ranging between US\$ 48.31/barrel to US\$ 78.64/barrel, equity price index growth volatility ranging between -20.4% to 6.7%, non-oil UAE GDP range falling -5.0% to rising 6.8% and UAE CPI index ranging 1.1% to 2.2%.

The Group's management will continually monitor how the economic conditions change over the next reporting period and will re-evaluate the adequacy of downside weight, and adverse effect, if any, will be accounted for.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

### 5. Financial risk management

The Group's financial risk management objectives, policies and procedures are consistent with those disclosed in the annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

# i) Fair value measurement of financial instruments

The Bank's existing policy on fair value measurement of financial instruments is disclosed in note 3 (b) to the annual audited consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

# ii) Concentration analysis

Please refer to note 10.1 (a) and (b) to the condensed consolidated interim financial statements, which discloses the product and sector wise categorization of Investment in Islamic financing as at 31 March 2025. The Group's financial risk management objectives, policies and procedures are consistent with those disclosed in the annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

### iii) Profit rate risk

The principal risk to which non-trading portfolios are exposed, is the risk of loss from fluctuations in the future cash flows or fair values of financial instruments because of a change in market profit rates. Profit rate risk primarily comprises of market and valuation risk, are managed on the basis of pre-determined asset allocations across various asset categories, a continuous appraisal of market conditions and trends and management's estimate of long and short term changes in fair value. Overall pricing or profit rate risk positions are managed by the Asset and Liability Committee ("ALCO").

The sensitivity of the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss is the effect of the assumed changes in profit rates on the net income.

changes in profit rates on the net income.	Three month period ended 31 March 2025 Un-audited	Three month period ended 31 March 2024 Un-audited
Net profit rate sensitivity on financial assets and liabilities	5,949	1,019

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

# 5. Financial risk management (continued)

# iv) Maximum exposure to credit risk\*

The table below is the maximum exposure to credit risk for the Group and is shown gross, before any mitigation of collateral.

	As at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)			
	ECL Staging			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	12 month	Lifetime	Lifetime	
Cash and balances with banks and				
financial institutions	4,996,796	316	-	4,997,112
Loss allowance		<u>-</u> ,	<u>-</u>	_
Carrying amount	4,996,796	316	-	4,997,112
Murabaha and wakalah with financial				
institutions	12,306,131	_	_	12,306,131
Loss allowance	(4,606)	-	-	(4,606)
Carrying amount	12,301,525	_	_	12,301,525
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Investment securities measured at				
amortised cost	13,227,371	10,952	23,579	13,261,902
Loss allowance	(11,992)	(235)	(23,579)	(35,806)
Carrying amount	13,215,379	10,717	_	13,226,096
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Investments in Islamic financing	37,971,582	2,117,088	1,907,365	41,996,035
Loss allowance	(218,952)	(268,098)	(1,200,070)	(1,687,120)
Carrying amount	37,752,630	1,848,990	707,295	40,308,915
Other financial assets	1,217,221	18,063	37,847	1,273,131
Loss allowance	(14,392)	(51)	(37,847)	(52,290)
Carrying amount	1,202,829	18,012	<u> </u>	1,220,841
Net credit risk exposures relating to				
on-balance sheet assets	69,469,159	1,878,035	707,295	72,054,489
Letter of credit and guarantee	1,279,974	32,344	62	1,312,380
Loss allowance	(4,513)	(2,167)		(6,680)
Net credit risk exposures off-balance sheet assets	1,275,461	30,177	62	1,305,700
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Net credit risk exposures	70,744,620	1,908,212	707,357	73,360,189
Gross credit risk exposure	70,999,075	2,178,763	1,968,853	75,146,691
Total loss allowance **	(254,455)	(270,551)	(1,261,496)	(1,786,502)
10mi 10bb mil II mill	70,744,620	1,908,212	707,357	73,360,189
	/ 0, / 77,020	1,700,414	101,001	12,200,107

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# 5. Financial risk management (continued)

### iv) Maximum exposure to credit risk\* (continued)

	As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)				
		ECL St	taging	_	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
	12 month	Lifetime	Lifetime		
Cash and balances with banks and					
financial institutions	2,249,091	517	-	2,249,608	
Loss allowance	(78)	(3)	-	(81)	
Carrying amount	2,249,013	514	<u> </u>	2,249,527	
Murabaha and wakalah with financial					
institutions	14,111,705	-	-	14,111,705	
Loss allowance	(5,428)	-	_	(5,428)	
Carrying amount	14,106,277		-	14,106,277	
Investment securities measured at					
amortised cost	13,055,856	128,406	23,579	13,207,841	
Loss allowance	(10,671)	(907)	(23,579)	(35,157)	
Carrying amount	13,045,185	127,499		13,172,684	
Investments in Islamic financing	35,391,457	2,103,098	1,905,288	39,399,843	
Loss allowance	(197,736)	(269,208)	(1,245,873)	(1,712,817)	
Carrying amount	35,193,721	1,833,890	659,415	37,687,026	
Carrying amount	33,173,721	1,033,030	039,413	37,007,020	
Other financial assets	1,225,628	17,931	37,270	1,280,829	
Loss allowance	(15,006)	(1,946)	(37,270)	(54,222)	
Carrying amount	1,210,622	15,985	<u> </u>	1,226,607	
Net credit risk exposures relating to					
on-balance sheet assets	65,804,818	1,977,888	659,415	68,442,121	
Letter of credit and guarantee	1,468,833	39,097	62	1,507,992	
Loss allowance	(7,180)	(995)	<u>-</u>	(8,175)	
Net credit risk exposures off-balance sheet assets	1,461,653	38,102	62	1,499,817	
Net credit risk exposures	67,266,471	2,015,990	659,477	69,941,938	
Gross credit risk exposure	67,502,570	2,289,049	1,966,199	71,757,818	
Total loss allowance**	(236,099)	(273,059)	(1,306,722)	(1,815,880)	
	67,266,471	2,015,990	659,477	69,941,938	

<sup>\*</sup> Financial assets classified as fair value through profit and loss and equity instruments classified as fair value through other comprehensive income are not subject to any impairment under IFRS 9.

<sup>\*\*</sup> In addition to the above, the Group has also recognised a provision for expected credit losses on its sukuk investments measured at FVTOCI amounting to AED 8.0 million as at 31 March 2025 (As at 31 December 2024: AED 10.0 million).

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# 5. Financial risk management (continued)

# v) Capital adequacy

	As at 31 March 2025 Un-audited	As at 31 December 2024 Audited
Capital base	Ch' addited	Hudited
Common equity tier 1	6,045,160	5,834,163
Additional tier 1 capital	1,836,500	1,836,500
Total tier 1 capital base	7,881,660	7,670,663
Total tier 2 capital base	532,985	519,174
Total capital base	8,414,645	8,189,837
Risk weighted assets		
Credit risk	49,231,667	46,850,732
Market risk	171,405	166,661
Operational risk	3,977,223	3,603,303
Total risk weighted assets	53,380,295	50,620,696
Capital ratios		
Common equity tier 1 ratio	11.32%	11.53%
Tier 1 capital ratio	<u>14.77%</u>	15.15%
Capital adequacy ratio	<u>15.76%</u>	16.18%
6. Cash and balances with banks and financial institutions		
Cash	756,327	753,029
Balances with the CBUAE	4,710,306	2,040,913
Due from banks and financial institutions	286,806	208,614
	5,753,439	3,002,556

As at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024, balances with CBUAE includes 14 days average statutory deposit requirement of CBUAE, which is also available to fund daily operations under specified conditions.

### 7. Murabaha and wakalah with financial institutions

Murabaha	837,385	1,315,376
Wakalah arrangements	11,464,140	12,790,901
	12,301,525	14,106,277

As at 31 March 2025, wakala arrangements with financial institutions includes Islamic certificates of deposit with CBUAE amounting to AED 5.9 billion (As at 31 December 2024: AED 7.3 billion.

As at 31 March 2025, Murabaha and wakalah with financial institutions carry profit rates ranging from 2.52% to 7.75% per annum (*As at 31 December 2024: 2.85% to 7.75% per annum*).

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### 8. Investment securities measured at fair value

The Group has designated certain investments in equity instruments, funds and sukuks as FVTOCI as these are investments that the Group plans to hold in the long term for strategic reasons.

category Fair value			<b>Dividend income</b>		
	As at	As at	For the three month perio		
_	31 March	31 December	ended 31	March	
	2025	2024	2025	2024	
_	<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited	<b>Un-audited</b>	<b>Un-audited</b>	
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss					
- Equity and funds	556,199	583,548	1,240	1,240	
- Sukuks	371,819	364,598	-	-	
	928,018	948,146	1,240	1,240	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income					
- Equity and funds	635,391	638,897	6,024	6,024	
- Sukuks	2,938,313	3,010,698	-	-	
_	3,573,704	3,649,595	6,024	6,024	
Total investment securities measured at fair value	4,501,722	4,597,741	7,264	7,264	
By quoted / unquoted			As at	As at	
			31 March	31 December	
			2025	2024	
			Un-audited	Audited	
Financial assets at fair value through profi	t or loss				
- Quoted			385,617	391,593	
- Unquoted			542,401	556,553	
			928,018	948,146	
Financial assets at fair value through other	· comprehensive in	come			
- Quoted			3,146,096	3,221,500	
- Unquoted			427,608	428,095	
			3,573,704	3,649,595	
Total investment securities measured at t	fair value		4,501,722	4,597,741	

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025 and the year ended 31 December 2024, no investment securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income were downgraded to stage 3 under the ECL model.

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025, the Group has purchased equity securities amounting to AED Nil (year ended 31 December 2024: AED 522.1 million).

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### 8. Investment securities measured at fair value (continued)

As at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024, investment securities measured at fair value predominantly comprise securities issued in the UAE and the Gulf Cooperation Council ("GCC").

### 9. Investment securities measured at amortised cost

	As at 31 March 2025	As at 31 December 2024
	Un-audited	Audited
By category		
- Sukuks	13,261,902	13,207,841
Less: loss allowance on financial assets measured at amortised cost	(35,806)	(35,157)
	13,226,096	13,172,684
By quoted / unquoted		
- Quoted	9,850,967	9,796,946
- Unquoted	3,410,935	3,410,895
Less: loss allowance on financial assets measured at amortised cost	(35,806)	(35,157)
	13,226,096	13,172,684

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025 and the year ended 31 December 2024, no investment securities measured at amortised cost were downgraded to stage 3 under the ECL model.

As at 31 March 2025, sukuks held at amortised cost includes AED 9,807.2 million (*As at 31 December 2024: AED 6,642.6 million*) that have been pledged against a collateralized commodity murabaha arrangement.

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025, the Group has sold investment securities measured at amortised cost amounting to AED 63.2 million (year ended 31 December 2024, the Group has sold investment securities measured at amortised cost amounting to AED 523.8 million).

As at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024, investment securities measured at amortised cost predominantly comprise securities issued in the UAE and the Gulf Cooperation Council ("GCC").

The fair value of investment securities measured at amortised cost has been disclosed in note 25 of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

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# 10. Investments in Islamic financing

**10.1** Investments in Islamic financing are secured by acceptable forms of collateral to mitigate the related credit risk. Investments in Islamic financing comprise the following:

	As at 31 March	As at 31 December
	2025	2024
	<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited
a) By product		
Vehicle murabaha	867,294	749,135
Goods murabaha	14,707,353	13,644,566
Other murabaha receivable	1,288,213	1,271,364
Syndicate murabaha	2,354,818	1,853,554
Gross murabaha financing	19,217,678	17,518,619
Deferred profit	(1,524,580)	(1,390,184)
Net murabaha financing	17,693,098	16,128,435
Ijarah	19,527,745	18,903,322
Qard Hasan	3,387,046	2,974,145
Credit card receivables	110,923	115,518
Istisna'a	1,277,223	1,278,423
Total investments in Islamic financing	41,996,035	39,399,843
Less: loss allowance for investments in Islamic financing	(1,687,121)	(1,712,817)
Net investments in Islamic financing	40,308,914	37,687,026
b) By sector		
Government departments and authorities	15,955,979	14,436,411
Construction and contracting	1,725,754	1,608,950
Manufacturing	836,516	750,576
Transportation	397,476	403,255
Real estate	10,495,396	10,415,435
Retail businesses	395,165	452,169
Trade	2,419,944	2,415,182
Financial institutions	1,116,221	736,854
Services and others	1,943,938	1,537,354
Individuals	3,726,225	3,761,049
Consumer home finance	1,493,633	1,487,748
High net worth individuals	3,014,368	2,785,044
Deferred profit	(1,524,580)	(1,390,184)
Less: loss allowance for investments in Islamic financing	(1,687,121)	(1,712,817)
Net investments in Islamic financing	40,308,914	37,687,026

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# 10. Investments in Islamic financing (continued)

10.2 Reconciliations from the opening to the closing balance of the gross carrying value ("GCV") and loss allowance ("ECL") for retail and corporate banking segments can be seen below:

segments can be seen bere	· · ·			31 March	2025			
	Stage	1	Stage	2	Stage	3	Tota	ıl
	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL
Balance at 1 January 2025 (Audited)	35,391,457	197,736	2,103,098	269,208	1,905,288	1,245,873	39,399,843	1,712,817
Retail banking								
Transfer to stage 1	7,866	172	(7,866)	(172)	-	-	-	-
Transfer to stage 2	(31,634)	(356)	31,634	356	-	-	-	-
Transfer to stage 3	(9,164)	(894)	(11,085)	(1,818)	20,249	2,712	-	-
Net movement in GCV	47,587	-	(1,201)	-	(727)	-	45,659	-
Net re-measurement of loss								
allowance	-	(3,189)	-	4,339	-	13,667	-	14,817
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	(4,684)	(3,978)	(4,684)	(3,978)
Write-offs	-	-	-	-	(13,937)	(13,937)	(13,937)	(13,937)
Corporate banking								
Transfer to stage 1	17,886	2,039	(17,886)	(2,039)	-	-	-	-
Transfer to stage 2	(54,552)	(742)	54,552	742	-	-	-	-
Transfer to stage 3	(9,600)	(48)	(8,867)	(1,306)	18,467	1,354	-	-
Net movement in GCV	2,611,736	-	(25,291)	-11	(7,814)	-	2,578,631	-
Net re-measurement of loss								
allowance	-	24,234	-	(1,212)	-	(39,016)	-	(15,994)
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	(8,206)	(5,333)	(8,206)	(5,333)
Write-offs	_	-	-	-	(1,271)	(1,271)	(1,271)	(1,271)
D 1 421 M 1 2027								
Balance at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)	37,971,582	218,952	2,117,088	268,098	1,907,365	1,200,071	41,996,035	1,687,121

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# 10. Investments in Islamic financing (continued)

10.2 Reconciliations from the opening to the closing balance of the gross carrying value ("GCV") and loss allowance ("ECL") for retail and corporate banking segments can be seen below:

				31 Decemb	er 2024			
	Stage	1	Stage	2	Stage	3	Tota	1
	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL	GCV	ECL
Balance at 1 January 2024 (Audited)	30,661,767	144,928	2,085,311	258,745	1,891,680	1,204,651	34,638,758	1,608,324
Retail banking								
Transfer to stage 1	3,412	134	(3,394)	(140)	(18)	6	-	-
Transfer to stage 2	(21,784)	(242)	21,784	242	-	-	-	-
Transfer to stage 3	(51,875)	(489)	(18,194)	(811)	70,069	1,300	-	-
Net movement in GCV	55,552	-	(3,294)	-	(9,510)	-	42,748	-
Net re-measurement of loss								
allowance	-	(1,509)	-	2,402	-	41,305	-	42,198
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	(19,661)	(10,594)	(19,661)	(10,594)
Write-offs	-	-	-	-	(23,152)	(23,152)	(23,152)	(23,152)
Corporate banking								
Transfer to stage 1	52,217	792	(52,217)	(792)	-	-]	-	-
Transfer to stage 2	(737,772)	(5,152)	752,540	6,313	(14,768)	(1,161)	-	-
Transfer to stage 3	(49,435)	(679)	(212,120)	(35,516)	261,555	36,195	-	-
Net movement in GCV	5,479,375	-	(467,318)	-	(12,058)	-	4,999,999	-
Net re-measurement of loss								
allowance	-	59,953	-	38,765	-	202,833	-	301,551
Recoveries	-	-	-	-	(138,466)	(105,127)	(138,466)	(105,127)
Write-offs	-	-	-	-	(100,383)	(100,383)	(100,383)	(100,383)
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Balance at 31 December 2024 (Audited)	35,391,457	197,736	2,103,098	269,208	1,905,288	1,245,873	39,399,843	1,712,817

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# 10. Investments in Islamic financing (continued)

# 10.3 Portfolio wise analysis of ECL movement during the period

		31 Marc	ch 2025		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
ECL allowance as of 1 January 2025 (Audited)	197,736	269,208	1,245,873	1,712,817	
Retail banking					
Credit cards	(8)	(40)	(462)	(510)	
Housing finance	(7,259)	(31)	(5,313)	(12,603)	
Personal finance	2,362	2,812	6,545	11,719	
Auto finance	638	(36)	(2,306)	(1,704)	
Corporate banking					
Government and related exposures	16,205	(492)	-	15,713	
Other corporates	(8,310)	(2,941)	(37,814)	(49,065)	
High net worth individuals	10,727	6,027	(6,984)	9,770	
Small and medium enterprises ("SMEs")	6,861	(6,409)	532	984	
ECL allowance as of 31 March 2025					
(Un-audited)	218,952	268,098	1,200,071	1,687,121	
	31 December 2024				
		31 Decem	ber 2024		
	Stage 1	31 Decem Stage 2	ber 2024 Stage 3	Total	
ECL allowance as of 1 January 2024 (Audited)	Stage 1 144,928			Total 1,608,324	
• • •		Stage 2	Stage 3		
ECL allowance as of 1 January 2024 (Audited)  Retail banking Credit cards		Stage 2	Stage 3		
Retail banking	144,928	Stage 2 258,745	Stage 3 1,204,651	1,608,324	
Retail banking Credit cards	144,928	Stage 2 258,745	Stage 3 1,204,651 953	1,608,324	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans	(55) (362)	Stage 2 258,745 78 (145)	Stage 3 1,204,651  953 1,392	1,608,324 976 885	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans	(55) (362) (2,613)	78 (145) 1,699	953 1,392 4,439	1,608,324 976 885 3,525	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans Auto loans	(55) (362) (2,613)	78 (145) 1,699	953 1,392 4,439	1,608,324 976 885 3,525	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans Auto loans Corporate banking	(55) (362) (2,613) 924	78 (145) 1,699 61	953 1,392 4,439	976 885 3,525 3,066	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans Auto loans  Corporate banking Government and related exposures	(55) (362) (2,613) 924 (2,500)	78 (145) 1,699 61	953 1,392 4,439 2,081	976 885 3,525 3,066	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans Auto loans  Corporate banking Government and related exposures Other corporates	(55) (362) (2,613) 924 (2,500) 16,307	78 (145) 1,699 61 1,541 (35,046)	953 1,392 4,439 2,081	976 885 3,525 3,066 (959) 14,258	
Retail banking Credit cards Housing loans Personal loans Auto loans  Corporate banking Government and related exposures Other corporates High net worth individuals	(55) (362) (2,613) 924 (2,500) 16,307 16,885	78 (145) 1,699 61 1,541 (35,046) 3,556	953 1,392 4,439 2,081 32,997 (24,807)	976 885 3,525 3,066 (959) 14,258 (4,366)	

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### 11. Other assets

	As at	As at
	31 March	31 December
	2025	2024
	<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited
Prepaid expenses and other advances	81,525	61,263
Profit receivable	581,705	537,065
Sundry debtors	294,052	236,550
Assets purchased against Investment in Islamic financing	175,655	406,748
Margin receivables	474,143	428,281
Positive fair value of Islamic derivatives (note 20)	10,238	_
Others	32,987	78,933
Less: loss allowance under IFRS 9 on other financial assets	(58,736)	(61,525)
	1,591,569	1,687,315

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025 and the year ended 31 December 2024, no significant financial assets included within 'Other assets' were downgraded to stage 3 under the ECL model.

# 12. Property and equipment and intangible assets

12.1	Prop	ertv :	and e	eanii	oment

1201 I Toporty and equipment		
Freehold land and buildings	785,213	788,324
Equipment, furniture and fittings	19,986	25,817
Computer equipment	35,475	33,117
Motor vehicles	1,881	1,975
Right of use assets	49,847	33,011
Capital work in progress	16,775	13,825
	909,177	896,069
12.2 Intangible assets		
Software	54,378	46,287
Capital work in progress	11,087	16,714
	65,465	63,001

The above balances are presented net off accumulated depreciation or amortisation and accumulated impairment, if any.

# 13. Customer deposits

Current accounts	14,111,483	13,533,473
Saving accounts	3,573,236	3,405,940
Watani / call accounts	1,322,476	1,531,968
Escrow accounts	2,681,775	2,946,263
Time deposits	3,493,460	4,092,439
Wakala deposits	26,463,540	25,832,649
Margins	452,774	415,712
	52,098,744	51,758,444

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# 14. Sukuk payable

			As at	As at
			31 March	31 December
			2025	2024
Name of instrument	<b>Maturity date</b>	Profit rate	<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited
SIB Sukuk 2025	23 June 2025	2.85%	1,836,214	1,835,949
SIB Sukuk 2029	3 July 2029	5.25%	1,825,917	1,824,000
SIB Sukuk 2030	26 February 2030	5.20%	1,827,294	
Total			5,489,425	3,659,949

On 26 February 2025, the Bank issued a sukuk amounting to USD 500 million (AED 1,836.5 million). The Sukuk bears a profit rate of 5.2% per annum and has a maturity date of 26 February 2030. The Sukuk is listed on the Irish Stock Exchange.

### 15. Other liabilities

Profit payable	720,414	874,969
Accrual and provision	128,169	124,127
Accounts payable	308,567	298,610
Provision for staff end of service benefits	128,075	119,056
Managers' cheques	206,213	261,454
Sundry creditors*	463,046	394,844
Corporate tax payable	132,754	101,211
Deferred tax liability (note 30)	7,178	872
Payables against assets purchased	46,979	45,121
Profit reserve (note 15.1)	24,956	24,665
Negative fair value of Islamic derivatives (note 20)	606	42,009
Lease obligation (note 15.2)	30,632	25,361
	2,197,589	2,312,299
15.1 Profit reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the period / year	24,665	14,793
Additions during the period / year	1,266	11,938
Payment made during the period / year	(975)	(1,413)
Zakat allocation during the year		(653)
Balance at the end of the period / year	24,956	24,665

Profit reserves are amounts appropriated out of the Bank's common pool's income for Mudaraba depsoitors, before allocating the Mudarib's share of profit, in order to maintain a certain level of return on investments for all the Investment Account Holders ("IAHs") and other investors in the common pool.

# 15.2 Lease obligation

Balance at the beginning of the period / year	25,361	18,662
Additions during the period / year	5,910	17,180
Payment made during the period / year	(1,039)	(11,398)
Amortisation during the period / year	400	917
Balance at the end of the period / year	30,632	25,361

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### 15. Other liabilities (continued)

\* As at 31 March 2025, sundry creditors include an amount of AED 90.0 million (As at 31 December 2024: AED 116 million) which relates to client money balances. In accordance with the regulations issued by the Securities and Commodities Authority ("SCA"), The Group maintains separately moneys received from its customers ("client money") and presents the client money as part of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements under 'Cash and balances with banks and financial institutions' with the corresponding liability in 'Other liabilities'. The Group does not use the client money for any business activities other than to settle transactions executed in the trading accounts of the customers.

### 16. Share capital

io since capital	As at 31 Mar (Un-audi		As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)		
	No. of shares	Value	No. of shares	Value	
Issued and fully paid up share capital	3,235,677,638	3,235,678	3,235,677,638	3,235,678	

### 17. Directors' remuneration

In accordance with the Article 171 of Commercial Companies Law No. 32 of 2021, the directors' remuneration for the year ended 31 December 2024 was AED 15 million.

### 18. Treasury shares

### a) Repurchase of shares

During the year ended 31 December 2024, the Bank has repurchased 167.7 million of its own shares, representing 5.18% of its total issued and paid up share capital of the Bank, from Kuwait Finance House, subsequent to approval from the Central Bank of the UAE on 16 September 2024 and the Bank's shareholders' on 16 October 2024 respectively, in accordance with Article 221 of the UAE Federal Law No. 32 of 2021. As at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024, the shares are classified under shareholders' equity as treasury shares at the purchase value of AED 2.2 per share. The Bank intends to dispose off these shares in accordance with the applicable laws and regulations.

# b) Appointment of liquidity provider

On 27 November 2024, the Bank engaged a third party licensed liquidity provider for its shares listed on the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange ("ADX") for a period of 12 months. Under this agreement, the liquidity provider will provide enhanced liquidity for the shares of the Bank listed on ADX by offering bid-ask quotes in line with the guidelines set by ADX and the UAE Securities and Commodities Authority ("SCA"). This agreement is intended to boost liquidity and build stronger confidence among investors in the Bank's publicly traded shares. On 9 December 2024, the Bank has transferred AED 45 million to the liquidity provider in accordance with the terms of the agreement with the liquidity provider. Trading under this agreement commenced on 10 December 2024. As at 31 March 2025, the liquidity provider held 16.3 million of the Bank's shares on behalf of the Bank (As at 31 December 2024: 9.8 million shares), which are classified under shareholders' equity as treasury shares at the price at which the shares were bought by the liquidity provider. As at 31 March 2025, the liquidity provider also holds unutilised amout of AED 2.9 million (As at 31 December 2024: 20.8 million) which has been included in 'Cash and balances with financial institutions'. At the end of the term of the agreement with the liquidity provider, the Bank will have the option to either transfer the outstanding shares under its name or dispose of its shares in the market.

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# 19. Other reserves and treasury shares

	Legal reserve	Statutory reserve	Impairment reserve - General	Cash flow hedge reserve	Treasury shares (note 18)	Total
Balance at 1 January 2025 (Audited) Transfer to reserves Cash flow hedge - effective portion of changes in fair value	1,626,880	89,008	183,587 21,903	(38,228)	(393,241)	1,468,006 21,903
of Islamic derivative - net of tax	-	_	-	46,993	-	46,993
Shares held by liquidity provider	-	-	-	-	(17,811)	(17,811)
Balance at 31 March 2025						<u> </u>
(Unaudited)	1,626,880	89,008	205,490	8,765	(411,052)	1,519,091
Balance at 1 January 2024 (Audited) Transfer to reserves Cash flow hedge - effective portion of changes in fair value	<b>1,617,838</b> 9,042	<b>89,008</b> -	<b>164,617</b> 18,970			1,871,463 28,012
of Islamic derivative - net of tax	-	-	-	(38,228)	-	(38,228)
Repurchase of shares	-	-	-	-	(368,991)	(368,991)
Shares held by liquidity provider					(24,250)	(24,250)
Balance at 31 December 2024 (Audited)	1,626,880	89,008	183,587	(38,228)	(393,241)	1,468,006

# 20. Islamic derivative financial insturments

The Group uses profit rate swaps to hedge against the cash flow risks arising on certain variable rate financial assets and fixed rated financial liabilities. These are designated by the Group as cash flow hedges, and, as such, the Group applies cash flow hedge accounting to hedge the variability in highly probable forecast future cash flows attributable to profit rate risk on financial assets and liabilities. The table below shows the positive and negative fair values of Islamic derivative financial instruments, which are equivalent to the market values, together with the notional amounts analysed by the term to maturity. The notional amount is the amount of an Islamic derivative's underlying asset, reference rate or index and is the basis upon which changes in the value of Islamic derivatives are measured. The notional amounts indicate the volume of transactions outstanding at year end and are neither indicative of the market risk nor credit risk.

Islamic derivative financial insturments - held as cash flow hedge	Statement of financial position - line item	Positive fair value	Negative fair value	Notional amount
As at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited) Profit rate swaps	Other assets / Other liabilities	10,238	606	2,093,725
As at 31 December 2024 (Audited) Profit rate swaps	Other liabilities		42,009	2,093,725

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### 21. Net fee and commision income

	For the three month period			
	ended 31 March			
	2025	2024		
	<b>Un-audited</b>	<b>Un-audited</b>		
Fee and commission income				
Commission income	85,910	51,327		
Fees and charges on banking services	23,620	27,704		
Card related fees	22,415	18,868		
Takaful commision	4,079	4,549		
	136,024	102,448		
Fee and commission expense				
Commission expense	6,131	4,625		
Card related expense	19,337	16,559		
Takaful expense	2,948	3,438		
	28,416	24,622		
22. Other income				
Income from hospitality	8,353	10,957		
Rental income	20,000	18,064		
Income from disposal of properties	1,013	-		
Gain on disposal of property and equipment	13	3		
Other income	99	76		
	29,478	29,100		

### 23. Segment reporting

The Group's operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision maker which has been identified as the Board of Directors of the Bank and members of its executive committees who assess the financial performance and position of the Group and makes strategic decisions. The Group's activities comprise the following main business segments:

# a) Government and corporate

Within this business segment the Bank provides companies, institutions and government and government departments with a range of Islamic financial products and services. This includes exposure to high net worth individuals.

### b) Retail

The retail segment provides a wide range of Islamic financial services to individuals.

### c) Investment and treasury

This segment mainly includes wakalah deals with other financial institutions, investments securities, investment properties and other money market activities.

### d) Hospitality, brokerage and real estate

The Bank on its own and through its subsidiary ASAS provides real estate services, whereas SNH and SIFS provide hospitality and brokerage services respectively.

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# 23. Segment reporting (continued)

23. Segment reporting (continued)				Hospitality,	
	Government			brokerage	
	and		Investment	and real	
	Corporate	Retail	and treasury	estate	Total
Condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss:					
For the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)					
Income from investments in Islamic financing and sukuks	409,645	96,193	399,633	8,790	914,261
Distribution to depositors and sukuk holders	(319,217)	(40,957)	(186,723)	<u> </u>	(546,897)
Net income from financing and investment products	90,428	55,236	212,910	8,790	367,364
Fee and commssion income	56,220	18,799	26,562	34,443	136,024
Fee and commission expense	(6,519)	(7,146)	(14,751)	<u> </u>	(28,416)
Net fee and commission income	49,701	11,653	11,811	34,443	107,608
Investment income	-	-	1,587	-	1,587
Foreign exchange income	17,675	1,248	2,788	3,978	25,689
Other income	<u>-</u>		9,425	20,053	29,478
Total operating income	157,804	68,137	238,521	67,264	531,726
General and administrative expenses	-	-	-	(17,177)	(17,177)
General and administrative expenses - unallocated	<u>-</u>		-	<u>-</u>	(181,133)
Net operating income before impairment	157,804	68,137	238,521	50,087	333,416
Impairment on financial assets - net of recoveries	35,130	(7,970)	(9,578)	(375)	17,207
Profit before tax	192,934	60,167	228,943	49,712	350,623
Taxation	-	-	-	-	(31,693)
Profit for the period	192,934	60,167	228,943	49,712	318,930
Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position: As at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)					
Assets					
Segment assets	35,257,836	4,906,608	39,541,249	1,793,163	81,498,856
Unallocated assets	<del>_</del>		-	<u> </u>	1,271,623
Total assets	<u>35,257,836</u>	4,906,608	39,541,249	1,793,163	82,770,479
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities	43,735,585	9,281,731	20,312,205	309,317	73,638,838
Unallocated liabilities	-	-	-	-	969,625
Total liabilities	43,735,585	9,281,731	20,312,205	309,317	74,608,463
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# 23. Segment reporting (continued)

	Government		Ŧ , , ,	Hospitality, brokerage	
	and Corporate	Retail	Investment and treasury	and real estate	Total
Condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss:	Corporate	Ketan	and treasury	estate	Total
For the three month period ended 31 March 2024 (Un-audited):					
Income from investments in Islamic financing and sukuks	419,182	101,565	337,319	4,419	862,485
Distribution to depositors and sukuk holders	(317,943)	(45,174)	(126,863)	-,	(489,980)
Net income from financing and investment products	101,239	56,391	210,456	4,419	372,505
Fee and commssion income	40,548	21,685	24,266	15,949	102,448
Fee and commission expense	(10,538)	(5,976)	(8,108)	, -	(24,622)
Net fee and commission income	30,010	15,709	16,158	15,949	77,826
Investment income	-	-	7,961	-	7,961
Foreign exchange income	12,689	2,102	4,073	(1,509)	17,355
Other income	<u> </u>		81	29,019	29,100
Total operating income	143,938	74,202	238,729	47,878	504,747
General and administrative expenses	-	-	-	(14,762)	(14,762)
General and administrative expenses - unallocated	<u></u>	_	<u> </u>		(163,333)
Net operating income before impairment	143,938	74,202	238,729	33,116	326,652
Impairment on financial assets - net of recoveries	(23,568)	(2,027)	(18,619)	(782)	(44,996)
Profit before tax	120,370	72,175	220,110	32,334	281,656
Taxation	<del>_</del>		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(25,750)
Profit for the period	<u>120,370</u>	72,175	220,110	32,334	255,906
Consolidated statement of financial position: As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)					
Assets					
Segment assets	32,442,764	5,499,617	38,093,192	1,758,305	77,793,878
Unallocated assets	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	1,416,438
Total assets	32,442,764	5,499,617	38,093,192	1,758,305	79,210,316
Liabilities					
Segment liabilities	43,475,637	9,285,379	16,983,504	480,550	70,225,070
Unallocated liabilities					681,947
Total liabilities	43,475,637	9,285,379	16,983,504	480,550	70,907,017

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# 24. Related parties

In the normal course of business, the Group enters into various transactions with enterprises and key management personnel which falls within the definition of related parties as defined in IAS 24. Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group, directly or indirectly, including any director, executive or otherwise, of the Group. Other related parties includes balances due to / from entities under common control of either major shareholders or key management personnel. The related party transactions are executed at the terms agreed between the parties, which in the opinion of management, are not significantly different from those that could have been obtained from third parties. At the reporting date, such significant balances include:

	Key management personnel	Major shareholders	Other related parties	Total
Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial				
position as at 31 March 2025 (Un-audited) Investment securities measured at fair value	_	610,939	_	610,939
Investment securities measured at amortised cost		780,333		780,333
Investments in Islamic financing	558,097	3,607,700	6,359,910	10,525,707
Customer deposits	(353,091)	(2,105,589)	(5,315,999)	(7,774,679)
Contingent liabilities	735	100	291,364	292,199
Consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024 (Audited)				
Investment securities measured at fair value		606,467		606,467
Investment securities measured at amortised cost		780,329	<u> </u>	780,329
Investments in Islamic financing	554,747	3,376,462	5,917,470	9,848,679
Customer deposits	(325,925)	(3,198,685)	(4,487,342)	(8,011,952)
Contingent liabilities	<del>-</del>	100	256,367	256,467
Condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)				
Income from Islamic financing and investment securities	4,461	55,725	94,135	533,971
Depositors' share of profit	(1,075)	(31,964)	(18,534)	(202,188)
Fee and commission income	-	-	507	1,350
Condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss for the three month period ended 31 March 2024 (Un-audited)				
Income from Islamic financing and investment securities	3,989	68,008	102,676	174,673
Depositors' share of profit	(797)	(45,115)	(24,994)	(70,906)
Fee and commission income	-		398	398

Key management compensation includes salaries and other short term benefits of AED 7.8 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (three month period ended 31 March 2024: AED 6.2 million) and post-employment benefits of AED 0.8 million for the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (three month period ended 31 March 2024: AED 0.9 million).

As at 31 March 2025 or 31 December 2024, the Group does not have any related party balances classified as stage 3.

As at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024, the Group has applied the exemption in IAS 24 'Related Party Disclosures' that allows presentation of reduced related party disclosures regarding transactions with government related parties. These transactions (mainly comprised of utility expenses, courier expenses etc) are conducted in the ordinary course of business, on terms comparable to those with other entities that are not government related and are not individually or collectively significant. The Group has established procurement policies, a pricing strategy and approval mechanism for purchases / income which are independent of whether the counterparties are government related or not.

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### 24. Related parties (continued)

The ultimate controlling party of the Bank is the Government of Sharjah. Major shareholders of the Bank comprise of fully owned entities of the Government of Sharjah namely Sharjah Asset Management LLC and Sharjah Social Security Fund who hold 28.46% and 15.12% of the Bank's issued and fully paid up share capital respectively as at 31 March 2025 and 31 December 2024.

### 25. Fair value measurement

The Group measures fair values using the following fair value hierarchy, which reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements.

Level 1: inputs that are quoted market prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical instruments.

Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices). This category includes instruments valued using quoted market prices in active markets for similar instruments; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are considered less than active; or other valuation techniques in which all significant inputs are directly or indirectly observable from market data.

Level 3: inputs that are unobservable. This category includes all instruments for which the valuation technique includes inputs not based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant effect on the instrument's valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments for which significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

The Group recognises transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the change has occurred.

Valuation techniques include net present value and discounted cash flow models, comparison to similar instruments for which market observable prices exist, and other valuation models. Assumptions and inputs used in valuation techniques include risk-free and benchmark profit rates, credit spreads in estimating discount rates, bond and equity prices, foreign currency exchange rates, equity and equity index prices and expected price volatilities and correlations. The objective of valuation techniques is to arrive at a fair value measurement that reflects the price that would be received to sell the asset or paid to transfer the liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

The Group has an established control framework with respect to the measurement of fair values. This framework includes a valuation function, which is independent of front office management and reports to the Investment Committee, and which has overall responsibility for independently verifying the results of trading and investment operations and all significant fair value measurements.

Specific controls include:

- verification of observable pricing;
- re-performance of model valuations;
- a review and approval process for new models and changes to models involving valuation function;
- calibration and back-testing of models against observed market transactions at regular intervals;
- analysis and investigation of significant valuation movements; and
- review of significant unobservable inputs, valuation adjustments and significant changes to the fair value measurement of Level 3 instruments compared with the previous month, by Investment Committee.

Significant valuation issues are reported to the Investment Committee.

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### 25. Fair value measurement (continued)

The table below analyses financial instruments measured at fair value at the end of the reporting period, by the level in the fair value hierarchy into which the fair value measurement is categorised:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
At 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)				
Financial assets				
Investment securities - FVTPL	385,617	_	542,401	928,018
Investment securities - FVTOCI	3,146,096	-	427,608	3,573,704
	3,531,713		970,009	4,501,722
Non-financial assets				
Investment properties at fair value			2 077 202	2 077 202
investment properties at rail value			2,977,203	2,977,203
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
At 31 December 2024 (Audited)				
Financial assets				
Investment securities - FVTPL	391,593	-	556,553	948,146
Investment securities - FVTOCI	3,221,500	-	428,095	3,649,595
	3,613,093		984,648	4,597,741
Non-financial assets				
Investment properties at fair value	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	2,964,711	2,964,711

Management considers that the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities, measured at amortised cost, recognised in the condensed consolidated interim financial statements approximate their fair values, other than investments measured at amortised cost for which the fair value is calculated using Level 1 inputs. As at 31 March 2025, fair value for investments measured at amortised cost amounts to AED 13,618.3 million (As at 31 December 2024: AED 13,091.3 million) against carrying value of AED 13,226.1 million (As at 31 December 2024: AED 13,172.7 million).

There were no transfers of any financial instruments between any of the levels in the fair value hierarchy during the three month period ended 31 March 2025 or during the year ended 31 December 2024.

The following table shows a reconciliation from the beginning balances to the ending balances for fair value measurements in Level 3 of the hierarchy for investment securities and investment properties:

	For the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (Un-audited)		For the year ended 31 December 2024 (Audited)	
	FVTPL FVTOCI		FVTPL	FVTOCI
Financial assets		_	_	_
Balance as at the beginning of the period / year	556,553	428,095	329,551	292,248
Fair value movement during the period / year	(14,152)	1,350	21,783	30,112
Additions during the period / year	-	-	206,239	110,190
Disposals during the period / year	<u>-</u>	(1,837)	(1,020)	(4,455)
Balance at the end of the period / year	542,401	427,608	556,553	428,095

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# 25. Fair value measurement (continued)

	Three month	Year
	period ended	ended
	31 March	31 December
	2025	2024
	Un-audited	Audited
Non-financial assets - Investment properties		
Balance at the beginning of the period / year	2,964,711	2,822,991
Additions during the period / year	8,514	416,665
Transfer from held-for-sale during the period / year	-	-
Transfer to properties held for sale during the year	-	(193,830)
Disposals during the period / year	-	(38,604)
Loss on revaluation during the year	-	(40,335)
Exchange differences	3,978	(2,176)
Balance at the end of the period / year	2,977,203	2,964,711

During the three month period ended 31 March 2025, the Group did not transfer any properties between properties held for sale and investment properties (year ended 31 December 2024, the Group transferred properties of AED 193.8 million from investment properties to properties held for sale). This has no impact on condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows for the three month periods ended 31 March 2025 or 31 March 2024.

### Unobservable inputs used in measuring fair value

The investment department constantly monitors the progress of its investments by conducting its own valuation assessment along with information provided by the fund manager. Depending on the nature of the underlying asset, quantitative methods are used such as residual value, discounted cash flow / scenario analysis or comparable market valuation. Qualitative methods which involve taking into consideration the market & economic outlook are also employed. The carrying amount of the investment properties is the fair value of the properties as determined by an independent appraiser having an appropriate recognised professional qualification and recent experience in the location and category of the property being valued and is reviewed by the Board of Directors on an annual basis. The valuation techniques used for fair valuation of the investment properties were disclosed in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024.

### The effect of unobservable input on fair value measurement

Although the Group believes that its estimates of fair value are appropriate, the use of different methodologies or assumptions could lead to different measurements of fair value. For fair value measurements in Level 3, changing one or more of the assumptions by 10% would have the following effects:

	Effect on pr	ofit or loss	Effect on OCI		
	<b>Favorable</b>	Unfavorable	<b>Favorable</b>	Unfavorable	
For the three month period ended					
31 March 2025 (Un-audited)	351,960	(351,960)	42,761	(42,761)	
For the year ended 31 December 2024 (Audited)	352,126	(352,126)	42,810	(42,810)	

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### 26. Interim measurement

The nature of the Group's business is such that income and expense are incurred in a manner, which is not impacted by any form of seasonality. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were prepared based upon the accrual concept, which requires income and expenses to be recorded as earned or incurred and not as received or paid throughout the period.

### 27. Dividends

During the annual general meeting of the shareholders held on 23 February 2025, a cash dividend of 15% of the paid up capital, amounting to AED 458.7 million (AED 0.1 per share) was approved for the year ended 31 December 2024 (During the annual general meeting of the shareholders held on 18 February 2024, a cash dividend of 10% of the paid up capital, amounting to AED 323.6 million (AED 0.1 per share) was approved for the year ended 31 December 2023).

### 28. Contingencies and commitments

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		As at	As at
		31 March	31 December
		2025	2024
		<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited
		<u> </u>	_
Letters	of credit	472,000	589,642
Letters	of guarantee	4,445,397	3,892,739
Commi	tments	2,286,187	1,632,387

Total net asset value of the funds under management as at 31 March 2025 amounts to AED 2,932.5 million (As at 31 December 2024:AED 2,710.2 million).

As at 31 March 2025, the letter of guarantees issued also include financial guarantees of AED 50 million and AED 5 million (As at 31 December 2024: AED 50 million and AED 5 million) respectively to the Department of Economic Development and Real Estate Registration Department against a real estate leasing and management license for ASAS Real Estate.

As at 31 March 2025, financial guarantees of AED 200 million which comprises of AED 100 million issued to Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange and AED 100 million issued to Dubai Financial Market against conducting brokerage operations for Sharjah Islamic Financial Services LLC (As at 31 December 2024, financial guarantees of AED 200 million which comprises of AED 100 million issued to Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange and AED 100 million issued to Dubai Financial Market against conducting brokerage operations for Sharjah Islamic Financial Services LLC).

The Group receives legal claims arising in the normal course of business. As of the reporting date, the Group has assessed these claims and considers them not to be material, individually or in aggregate. Where appropriate, the Group has recognised a provision for liabilities when it was probable that an outflow of economic resources embodying economic benefits would be required and for which a reliable estimate could be made of the obligation. The Group seeks to comply with all applicable laws and regulations, but may be subject to regulatory actions and investigations from time to time, the outcome of which are generally difficult to predict and can be material.

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# 29. Taxation

	For the three month period ended 31 March	
	2025 Un-audited	2024 Un-audited
Condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss		
Current tax charge / (income):	21 (02	25.750
- Current tax charge	31,693	25,750
Deferred tax charge / (income): - Relating to temporary differences	_	
Tax expense for the period reported in the condensed consolidated		
interim statement of profit or loss	31,693	25,750
Condensed consolidated interim statement of other		
comprehensive income		
Current tax charge / (income): - Unrealized gain / (loss) on revaluation of FVTOCI equity investments	(150)	(349)
Deferred tax charge / (income):	(120)	(0.15)
- Unrealized gain / (loss) on revaluation of FVTOCI sukuk investments	1,658	5,192
- Unrealized gain / (loss) on effective portion of changes in fair value of	4 (50	
cash flow hedge  Tax expense reported in the condensed consolidated interim	4,652	
statement of other comprehensive income	6,160	4,843
Reconciliation of tax expense and the accounting profit		
Accounting profit before tax	350,623	281,656
At UAE statutory corporate tax rate of 9%		
(2024: 9%)	31,556	25,687
Effect of standard exemption	(8)	(34)
Non-deductible expenses for tax purposes  At the effective income tax rate of 9.04% (2024: 9.02%)	145 31,693	97 <b>25,750</b>
	51,075	20,100
30. Deferred tax	A = =4	A ~ -4
	As at 31 March	As at 31 December
	2025	2024
	<b>Un-audited</b>	Audited
Investment securities measured at fair value	6,311	4,653
Cash flow hedge - Effective portion of changes in fair value	867	(3,781)
Deferred tax liability / (asset)	7,178	872
Recognised in profit or loss	-	-
Recognised in other comprehensinve income	7,178	872
Deferred tax liability / (asset)	7,178	872

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(Currency: Thousands of U.A.E Dirhams)

### 31. Basic and diluted earnings per share

	For the three month period ended 31 March 2025 (Unaudited)		For the three month period ended 31 March 2024 (Un- audited)	
	Basic	Diluted	Basic	Diluted
Profit for the period	318,930	318,930	255,906	255,906
less: Profit on Tier 1 sukuk	(45,912)	(45,912)	(45,912)	(45,912)
Adjusted profit for the period	273,018	273,018	209,994	209,994
Weighted average number of ordinary shares (in '000)	3,056,591	3,050,011	3,056,591	3,050,011
shares (iii 000)	3,030,371	3,030,011	3,030,371	3,030,011
Basic earnings per share (U.A.E. Dirhams)	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.07

# 32. Comparative figures

The Board of Directors' fee (the "fee"), which was previously charged to 'retained earnings' in the condensed consolidated interim statement of change in equity, is now being charged to the condensed consoldiated interim statement of profit or loss. The impact of this change has resulted in a decrease in 'Retained earnings' as of 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024 by AED 10 million and AED 3.75 million respectively.

Furthremore, the fee, previously charged to equity, is now included in the condensed consolidated interim statement of profit or loss. This resulted in an increase in 'General and administrative expenses' for the three month period ended 31 March 2024 by AED 3.75 million leading to a reduction in the profit for the three month period ended 31 March 2024. The prior year's profit or loss has been restated to reflect this change in accounting treatment.

These reclassifications of prior year numbers have no impact on the consoldiated statement of cash flows for the three month period ended 31 March 2024.

Other than the above change, certain other prior period comparatives have been reclassifed in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements to conform to the current period's presentation.

# 33. Subsequent events

There have been no events subsequent to the statement of financial position date that would significantly affect the amounts reported in the condensed consolidated interim financial statements as at and for the three month period ended 31 March 2025.

### 34. Approval of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of Directors on 16 April 2025. The Directors have the power to amend the condensed consolidated interim financial statements after issue.